GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – APWAS-. – Certain lapses/ irregularities were alleged to have been committed in respect of works of Special Repairs (a) Thimmannapalem-Naguluppalapadu Road from KM 4/7 to 9/4; improvements to Tanguturu-Podili Road from KM 45/02 to 55/02 of R&B Divisions, Ongole and Kanigiri in 2008 - Appointment Sri I.Sundaraiah, JDWA, Ongole (FAC) as Inquiry Officer and Sri C.D.Swamy Sekhar, PAO(WA), Ongole (FAC) as Presenting Officer – Orders – Issued.

FINANCE (ADMN-II-DWA,PAO) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 47 **Date;01-03-2023**

Read the following:-

1. From the Advisor, Quality Control for R&B Deptt. Lr.No.NAC/164/2671, dt.21-07-2008.
2. Govt. Memo No.7425/Vig.II/2008-1, dt.29-08-2008
3. G.O.Rt no.5201, Finance(WA-II) Department dt:-24-12-2010
4. Written statement of defence of Sri A.Ramakrishna Rao, JDWA(Rtd) nil dtd. along with DWA Lr no.DWA/Hyd/Sn-I/EC-6/2011-12/341 dt:-05-02-2011.
5. DWA e.file No FIN08-11021/329/2021-SEC I-DWA (1604708) dt.28.01.2022.

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ORDER:

It was brought to the notice of the Government vide reference first & second read above that, certain lapses/ irregularities were alleged to have been committed in certain works in 2008 by Sri A.Ramakrishna Rao, JDWA(Rtd) as the officer while working as PAO, Ongole and paid final bills in respect of works of Special Repairs (a) Thimmannapalem-Naguluppalapadu Road from KM 4/7 to 9/4, (b) improvements to Tanguturu-Podili Road from KM 45/02 to 55/02 of R&B Divisions, Ongole and Kanigiri respectively without QC Certificate for 100% work completion.

2. In the reference third read above, the Government have issued the following Articles of Charge under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 against the charged officer., Charge :

> "That the said he was working as Pay and Accounts Officer, Ongole, he has paid final bills in respect of works of Special Repairs (a) Thimmannapalem-Naguluppalapadu Road from KM 4/7 to 9/4, (b) improvements to Tanguturu-Podili Road from KM 45/02 to 55/02 of R&B Divisions, Ongole and Kanigiri respectively without QC Certificate for 100% work completion, thereby violating standing orders issued in G.O. Ms No. 132, T.R.&B Department dated 22.06.2005, which resulted in dereliction of duties and disobedience to the Government instructions. Thus, he was violated paras 89 and 90 of A.PPW.A Code and Rule 3(1) of A.P C.S Conduct Rules 1964.

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The articles of Charged have been served to the charged officer with a direction to submit her written statement of defence if any, within (10) days of the receipt of the orders.

3. In the reference fourth read above the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation and denied the charges levelled against him and the charged Officer has submitted that there is no dereliction of duties and disobedience to the government instructions on his part while worked as P.A.O Ongole and requested to exonerate him further action. In the reference fifth read above, the Director of Works Accounts, A.P., has recommended to drop further action against Sri A.Ramakrishna Rao, JDWA(Rtd) in this case.

4. Government, after careful examination, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub rule (2) and sub rule (5) of Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 hereby appoint Sri I.Sundaraiah, JDWA, Ongole (FAC) as Inquiry Officer and Sri C.D.Swamy Sekhar, PAO(WA), Ongole(FAC) as Presenting Officer to inquire into the charges framed against Sri A.Ramakrishna Rao, JDWA(Rtd).

5. The Inquiry Authority is directed to complete the enquiry within two months and submit report to the Government for taking further necessary action. In case of delay the Inquiry Authority shall explain every day of delay.

6. The Director of Works Accounts, A.P, Mangalagiri is requested to take further necessary action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(RM&FP)

To
The Director of Works Accounts, A.P, Mangalagiri.
Sri I.Sundaraiah, JDWA, Ongole(FAC) through Director of Works Accounts, A.P, , Mangalagiri..
Sri C.D.Swamy Sekhar, PAO(WA), Ongole(FAC), through the Director of Works Accounts, A.P, Mangalagiri.
Sri A.Ramakrishna Rao, JDWA(Rtd) through Director of Works Accounts, A.P, Mangalagiri.
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SECTION OFFICER